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FOR THE SECRETARY FROM CHARGE

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SUBJECT: PRIME MINISTER RAZAK MESSAGE ON SECRETARY'S
FOREIGN POLICY REPORT

1. FOLLOWING MESSAGE FOR THE SECRETARY FROM PM RAZAK
RECEIVED JUNE 21:

2. QUOTE: THANK YOU FOR THE COPY OF YOUR REPORT ON
AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY IN 1972. IT IS WITH KEEN
INTEREST THAT I READ OF THE EFFORTS MADE BY YOUR
GOVERNMENT IN FORGING A DURABLE STRUCTURE OF
PEACE AND OF AMERICAN CONTRIBUTION TO THE GROWING
ATMOSPHERE OF DETENTE IN THE WORLD. I WISH TO
CONGRATULATE YOUR GOVERNMENT FOR THESE SPLENDID
EFFORTS AND I HOPE THAT THEY WILL MEET WITH
CONTINUED SUCCESS, WHICH WILL ENSURE A SAFER WORLD
FOR US ALL.

I AM ALSO GRATIFIED TO READ YOUR
INTERESTING REPORT ON MALAYSIA. MAY I SAY THAT IN
AS FAR AS THE NIXON DOCTRINE IS CONCERNED, WE
WELCOME CONSTRUCTIVE STEPS TAKEN BY YOUR
GOVERNMENT TO DE- EMPHASISE YOUR MILITARY COMMIT-
MENTS IN THIS REGION AND TO ASSIST IN PROMOTING
A SENSE OF REGIONAL BELONGING AND SELF RELIANCE
AMONG COUNTRIES OF SOUTHEAST ASIA. THIS, I FEEL,
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IS CONSISTENT WITH OUR PROPOSAL FOR THE NEUTRALI-
ZATION OF SOUTHEAST ASIA. INDEED WITH THE GROWING
SELF- RELIANCE OF COUNTRIES IN SOUTHEAST ASIA AND
THE DEVELOPMENT OF A SENSE OF REGIONALISM AS IS
PARTICULARLY EVIDENT IN ASEAN, I LOOK FORWARD TO
GREATER COOPERATION BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES
TOWARD CREATING A STABLE, SECURE AND PEACEFUL
SOUTHEAST ASIA.

YOURS SINCERELY,
TUN HAJI ABDUL RAZAK BIN DATO HUSSEIN
PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF
FOREIGN AFFAIRS UNQUOTE

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